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**MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION AND RECREATION  
TO HOLD EGG HUNTS FOR CHILDREN THIS SPRING**

BOSTON – The Massachusetts Department of Conservation and Recreation (DCR), in partnership with WBMX-FM radio (Mix 98.5) and two local candy shops, is sponsoring three free egg hunts for children at DCR facilities in the Boston area – complete with visits from a big, pink bunny.

The annual spring events attract several hundred children who look for – and almost always find – the thousands of little toy-filled plastic eggs hidden in the parks. But don't be late: Most of the eggs are discovered within the first half hour.

Here are this year's events:

Saturday, March 31, at 11 a.m. in **Pope John Paul II Park in Dorchester** (at the Gallivan Boulevard entrance near Neponset Circle). Sponsored by Phillips Candy House and Mix 98.5.

Saturday, March 31, at 1 p.m. at **Houghton's Pond in Milton** (in the Blue Hills Reservation on Hillside Street). Sponsored by Mix 98.5.

Saturday, April 7, at noon at **Breakheart Reservation in Saugus** (at the Christopher P. Dunne Visitors Center, Forest Street entrance). Sponsored by Winfrey's Fudge & Candy and Mix 98.5.

For more information, call 617-626-1250 or visit [www.mass.gov/dcr](http://www.mass.gov/dcr).

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